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Serial No. : 10/009,861 Examiner: Susan Ungar

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For : MARKERS FOR PROSTATE CANCER

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Date: November 30, 2006

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment to the above-identified application.

☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been previously established.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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The following are also enclosed:

☒ One additional copy of this Amendment Transmittal Letter

☒ Return Receipt Postcard

☐ An Information Disclosure Statement, including Form PTO-1449

(Copies of citations included: Yes ☐ No ☐

and a fee of \$ ☐ included)

☒ A Petition for an Extension of Time, including a fee of
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☐ Other (identify): _____

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO JUNE 30, 2006 FINAL
OFFICE ACTION AND PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

This Amendment is submitted in response to a June 30, 2006 Final Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the June 30, 2006 Final Office Action was originally due September 30, 2006. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time. Applicants have previously established small entity status and such status is still applicable. The required fee for a two-month extension of time for a small entity is TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$225.00) and a check which includes this amount is enclosed. A response to the June 30, 2006 Final Office Action is now due November 30, 2006. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

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